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Sir:

Please file the enclosed Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status in the above-identified patent application.

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